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Application of:

Willy De Meyer

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For:

Textile Reinforcing Layer for Flexible
Hoses, Tubes and Similar Extended ObjectsGroup Art Unit:
Examiner:1771
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Amendment "After Final"

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In response to the Final Office Action of 10 February, 2004, Applicants request entry and consideration of the following amendment and accompanying remarks so as to place the application in better form for appeal. It is respectfully submitted that all remaining claims stand in condition for allowance. Accordingly, an action to that effect is requested at this time.